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FROM: Gail Farber *Gail Farber*  
Director of Public Works

### REVIEW OF BOARD POLICY NO. 3.046

As requested, Public Works has reviewed Board Policy Number 3.046, "Recycled Water Policy." Recommended revisions to the Policy are shown in the attached document. In summary, our only change to the Policy is the sunset date.

If you have any questions, please contact me or your staff may contact Angela George at (626) 458-4325 or [ageorge@dpw.lacounty.gov](mailto:ageorge@dpw.lacounty.gov).

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# *Los Angeles County* **BOARD OF SUPERVISORS POLICY MANUAL**

Policy #:	Title:	Effective Date:
<b>3.046</b>	<b>Water Recycling Policy</b>	<b>2-20-07</b>

## **PURPOSE**

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Establishes guidelines for use of recycled water for non-potable purposes in Los Angeles County. Instructs the Director of Public Works, or designated staff, to participate in the Greater Los Angeles County, Santa Clara River, and Antelope Valley Integrated Regional Watershed Management Plans as well as organizations such as the WaterReuse Association – Los Angeles Chapter to assess the complex nature and issues surrounding the development and use of recycled water in Los Angeles County, guided by the recommendations of California's Recycle Water Task Force report "Water Recycling 2030".

## **REFERENCE**

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May 23, 2006 Board Order 20

January 30, 2007 Report from Recycled Task Force with "Policy Recommendations for the County of Los Angeles Board of Supervisors, January 30, 2007"

February 20, 2007 Board Order 5

## **POLICY**

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It is the policy of the Board of Supervisors to increase the use of recycled water for non-potable uses throughout the County of Los Angeles. The Board of Supervisors hereby establishes the Office of Water Recycling within the Department of Public Works to coordinate implementation of all water recycling policies adopted by the Board of Supervisors. The Board of Supervisors instructed the Director of Public Works, or designated staff, to participate in the Greater Los Angeles County, Santa Clara River, and Antelope Valley Integrated Regional Watershed Management Plans as well as other organizations dedicated to the planning and development of recycled water use, such as the WaterReuse Association – Los Angeles Chapter, to assess the complex nature and issues surrounding the development and use of recycled water for non-

potable purposes and will make recommendations to the Board of Supervisors recycled water for non-potable uses. The Director of Public Health, the Director of Internal Services, and Director of Parks and Recreation, or their respective designated staff, will also participate as needed at meetings of organizations dedicated to the planning and development of recycled water use, such as the WaterReuse Association – Los Angeles Chapter. The Director of Internal Services will be the lead in coordinating recycled water projects for County facilities.

#### **RESPONSIBLE DEPARTMENT**

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Director of Public Works

Director of Parks and Recreation

Director of Internal Services Department

Director of Public Health.

#### **DATE ISSUED/SUNSET DATE**

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| Issue Date: February 20, 2007

Sunset Date: February 20, ~~2013~~2015